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SUBJ: PEACEKEEPING: COMITE 33 WORKING GROUP (WG)

REF: USUN 1158

1. FOLLOWING WORKING PAPER HAND DELIVERED TO USUN 5 APRIL
FROM UN DEPT OF POLITICAL AND SECURITY COUNCIL AFFAIRS FOR
USE IN 6 APRIL MEETING OF WORKING GROUP OF COMMITTEE OF 33.

QUOTE: SPECIAL COMITE ON PK OPERATIONS, WORKING GROUP, APR 3, 1973.
WORKING PAPER NO.1. SUGGESTED LISTING OF RESPONSIBILITIES
TO BE EXERCISED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL IN ESTABLISHMENT,
DIRECTION AND CONTROL OF PEACE- KEEPING OPERATIONS.

1. AUTHORIZATION
2. DEFINITION OF PURPOSE
3. KIND OF ADVICE AND ASSISTANCE REQUIRED BY COUNCIL
(DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY).
4. DEFINITION OF MANDATE
5. DURATION OF MISSION
6. MANNER OF TERMINATION
7. METHOD OF FINANCING
8. SIZE
9. COMPOSITION
10. SUPPORT FACILITIES
11. CONTENT OF AGREEMENTS WITH CONTRIBUTING COUNTRIES

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12. CONTENT OF AGREEMENTS WITH HOST COUNTRY

13. APPOINTMENT OF COMMANDER

14. APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY COMMANDERS
15. SPECIFIC DIRECTIVES TO COMMANDER
16. PROLONGATION OF MISSION
17. ALTERATIONS IN COMPOSITION
18. SUBSTANTIAL ALTERATIONS IN SIZE
19. (GENERAL SUPERVISION AND CONTROL
(SUPREME CONTROL
(COMMANDING POWER
(CONTROL OVER ALL ASPECTS. END QUOTE

2. BEGIN SUMMARY. CANADA (RAE) IN THE CHAIR OPENED WITH PURPOSE OF MEETING BEING DISCUSSION OF THE 19 ITEMS IN WG PAPER #1 AND APPORTIONMENT TO EITHER SC OR A SUBSIDIARY ORGAN. ONCE THIS APPROACH ACCEPTED, ITEMS 1-6 PLUS 16 WERE WORDSMITHED INTO ACCEPTABLE FORM EXCEPT IEM 6. CONSENSUS EXCEPT SOVIET REACHED EARLY. UNKNOWN PRECISELY WHY SOVS HUNG UP ON HIS POINT. RATIONALE GIVEN BY OVINOKOV CONCURRENT WITH MOTION TO ADJOURN WAS SPECIOUS AND SKEWED. NEXT MEETING 1030 , 12 APR, CZECH CHAIRING. END SUMMARY.

3. RECASTING OF ITEMS FOLLOWS:

ITEM 1. NO CHANGE

2. DELETE; COMBINE WITH 4.
3. DELETE (DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY), RENUMBER AS 2.
4. RENUMBER AS 3: DEFINITION OF PURPOSE AND MANDATE.
5. RENUMBER AS 4 : DURATION INCLUDING PROVISION FOR PERIODIC REVIEW AND RENEWAL.
6. SUBJECT TO FURTHER DISCUSSION.
16. DELETE. - INCLUDED IN RECAST OF OLD 5, NEW 4.

4. ALL REPS (LESS SOV AND CZECH) AGREED THE WORD MANNER IN ITEM 6 IS SUBSTANTIVE. EVEN THROUGH WG SHOULD NOT PRESCRIBE MANNER OF TERMINATION IT IS AN ITEM WHICH SC SHOULD DETERMINE AND ACT UPON. CZECH REP (CERNIK) BLANDLY STATED MATTER WAS NORMAL PROCEDURAL ACTION AND NUNNECESSARY FOR INCLUSION. IT IS NOT CLEAR WHY SOV REP HARDLINED THIS IEM. CANADIANS SEE ITEM 6 AS MEANS FOR BUYING TIME IF A MISSION IS TERMINATED OR ANY OF SEVERAL ALERNATIVES IMPACT ON MISSION CONTINUATION. CANADIAN REP CITED AS AN EXAMPLE THAT A TROOP CONTRIBUTOR MAY CONFIDENTIAL

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WISH TO WITHDRAW FORCES .

COMMENT: SUSPECT SOVIETS WILL AGREE TO SOME FORMULA FOR INCLUSION MANNER OF TERMINATION ITEM BUT WERE NOT PREPARED DO SO TODAY. CANADIANS PARTICULARLY INTERESTED ITEM 6 BECAUSE (1) OF SYG' S UNILATERAL AGREEMENT TO EGYPTIAN REQUEST WITHDRAW UNEF IN 1967, AND (2) OF CANADIAN DESIRE TO HAVE LEVER OF WITHDRAWING CANADIAN CONTINGENT FROM FUTURE PKO IN CASE ITS VIEWS NOT SUFFICIENTLY CONSIDERED.

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